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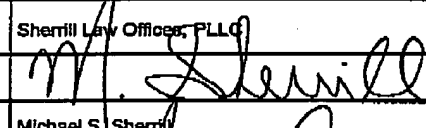
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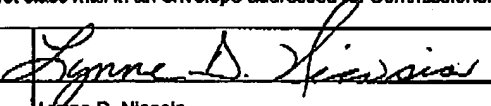
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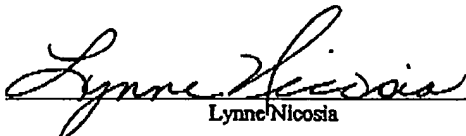
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Invention:	<b>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASURING GAS TRANSMISSION RATES OF DEFORMABLE OR BRITTLE MATERIALS</b>		

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This Amendment & Response is in reply to the Office Action dated February 24, 2005 to which a response is due on or before May 24, 2005.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that claim 21 is allowable over the prior art of record.